### SHIPBUILDER CALLED IN FREE TOLLS PROBE

Rear Admiral Bowles, Retired, Subpoenaed by Senate Committee Today.

Further interesting developments in the Senate lobby investigation, with reference to the Panama Canal tolls question, were presaged today when Rear Admiral F. T. Rowles, retired, president of the Fore River Shipbuild ing Company, of Quincy, Mass., was subpoenaed to appear Wednesday.

At the same time Edward W. De Knight, of Brooklyn, a brother of Clarence De Knight, the Washington attorney and lobbyist, was summoned It is alleged the brother has papers which were turned over to him by Clarence De Knight, and the committee wants to find out if this is true. Admiral Bowles is expected to tell the committee just what was his interest in the last Congress, as head of great shipbuilding concern, in free tells through the canal. Mr. De Knight has testified that he received \$1,000 as a retainer from Admiral Bowles for working in behalf of free tolls in the last Congress, but that he knew nothing of any campaign on now against re-

### THE WEATHER REPORT.

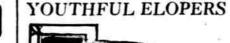
The forecast for the District of Co-umbja-Fair tonight and Tuesday;

colder Tuesday.

Maryland—Fair tonight and Tuesday;
cooler Tuesday, and cooler in west portion tonight; moderate southwest winds,
Virginia—Fair tonight and Tuesday; cooler Tuesday; colder tonight in north-west portion; moderate southwest winds.

U. S. BUREAU.	AFFLECK'S.
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9 a. m 47	9 a. m
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11 a. m 51	11 a. m
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2 p. m 66	2 p. m

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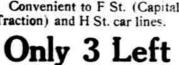
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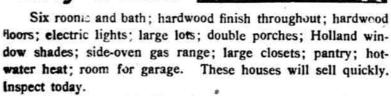
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### FIGHT OF NEW HAVEN AND U. S. IS AT CRISIS

Friends of Road Using Political

Expediency in Efforts to In
Tor the stockholders of the road.

Congressman Peters of Massachusetts has already appealed to the President to save the situation.

Attorney General McReynolds had a long talk with the President this afternoon on the subject. He is understood to have called the latter's attention to the fact that the Denarment has made fluence President.

A crisis is imminent in the relations etween the Government and the New

was another caller, and, while he said he discussed with the President the Connecticut Congressional fight, he denied that he spoke of it in relation to the New Haven situation.

It is understood that Senator Weeks urged the President to bring together the Attorney General and Chairman Elliott, of the New Haven borad, in an effort to bring about an easier settlement for the stockholders of the road.

Congressman Peters of Massachusetts

the fact that the Department has made no demand on he New Haven that was not covered by the terms of the agree-ment signed by Cairman Elliott on Jan-

House by District Day.

Congressman Prouty, delegated by the House District Committee to reshape the George taxation bill to square with

cummings Also Calls.

Homer S. Cummings, Democratic National committeeman from Connecticut diplomats of the United States.

Secret that the Administration feels that an indiscretion was committed by the ambassador, and the hope is expressed driver. Through mental derangement she became obsessed with the idea that she is the Arnold girl.

## LONDON MILITANTS RAID RAILROAD YARD

ham Cathedral.

LONDON, March 16.-The reign of terror instituted by militant suffragettes

### Solemn High Mass at St. Patrick's Tomorrow

Solemn high mass will be celebrated at St. Patrick's Church tomorrow at 11 o'clock. The celebrant will be the Rev. M. J. Riordan of Baltimore; the deacon the Rev. James O'Connor, of St. Augustine's, and the subdeacon the Rev. J. Leo Barley, of the Catholic the Rev. J. Leo Barley, of the Catholic University. The sermon will be delivered by the Rev. John M. McNamara, of St. Patrick's.

Both choirs will sing, and will be assisted by an orchestra.

Mgr. Bonzano, the apostolic delegate, will be present, and will afterward hold a reception in Carroll Hall.

GLASS OF SALTS IF YOUR KIDNEYS HURT

Eat less meat if you feel Backache or have Bladder trouble.

Meat forms uric acid which excites and overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the system. Reg-

LONDON, March 16.—The reign of the terror instituted by militant suffragettes following the recent arrest of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst was directed toward the railroads today. The suffragettes swooped down upon the railroady and yards at Kings Norton, near Birmingham, and burned six passenger cars, standing on a siding. Three others were badly damaged.

With the new wave of militancy assuming greater proportions daily, some a citie is expected to be taken as a result of a letter received by the dean of Westminster from Sylvia Pankhurst, declaring that East London suffragettes will march to the abbey next Sunday and attend the evening service. Miss Pankhurst said she would be present, and asked that special services be held.

It is feared that the famous Burnellows is permanently marred as a result of the suffragetter raid yesterday. The words "votes for women" were painted across the window. The floors, pews, and pulpit of the cathedral were disfigured by the women.

London March 16.—The reign of for to ting floor to filter if from the system. Regular eaters of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like, pour relieve them like, pour relieve them like pour clares of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like pour clares of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like pour clares of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like pour clares of meat must flush the kidneys occasionally. You must relieve them like pour clares of meat must flush the kidney sor bear workers of meat must flush the kidney sor bear load and pulpits of the earling instruction is severed and when the weather is bed you have rheumatic twings. The sudge and the surgal severe and poison, else you feel a dull misery in the kidney for the kidney and severe pour load as set to for severe action sharp pains in the back or sick heading and head with the misery in the kidney surgal severe of mean action, sharp pains in the back or sick heading and head w

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An Event That Is Creating a New High-Water Mark of Lively Selling Purchase of \$18 and \$20 Suits and Silk Dresses

160 Suits, \$11.65

gant Spring Sults, in serge, granite cioth, alligator crepe, garbardine, checked and striped novelties. Short coats, pfain or smartly trimmed and lined with peau de cygne. Draped, ruttled, and fold-trimmed skirts. Black and best colors. The season has seen no values to approach these n Washington or anywhere else.

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